### The Woodlands CVB

Destination Marketing & Group Sales Media Thumbnail Summary • January - August 2013

### **Destination Marketing - Print Advertising**

# The Woodlands

A New Texas Getaway

More than eight million square feet of shopping, dining and entertainment spots, concerts under the stars, great nightlife, golf, nature trails and more ... it's all in The Woodlands – a great spot for a getaway just 30 minutes north of Houston.





Stroll the shops of Market Street, dine in our award-winning restaurants, enjoy live music or unwind at The Woodlands Resort, the boutique Hyatt Market Street hotel, The Woodlands Waterway Marriott or one of our other outstanding hotels.

Go to www.VisitTheWoodlands. com for a FREE Visitor's Guide & Map and Discovery Guide & Savings Book.

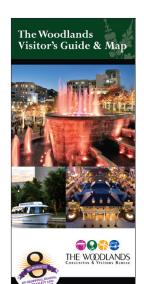
# **See Texas First Getaway Guide Advertorial/Spring 2013**

1/4 Page

Insertion – Spring /Summer 2013

Submitted – Jan. 29, 2013

Circulation – 1.5 Million



### See Texas First Getaway Guide Visitor's Brochure Listing/Spring 2013

Insertion – Spring 2013 Submitted – Feb. 11, 2013 Circulation – 1.5 Million

# 00. GETAWAY NORTH OF HOUSTON

Come see why readers of Travel + Leisure named The Woodlands one of "America's Coolest Suburbs Worth a Visit." Just 30 minutes north of Houston! Go to www.VisitTheWoodlands.com for a FREE Visitor's Guide & Map and Discovery Guide & Savings Book.

Print Advertising – Updated 9/4/13



#### **Houston Official Visitors Guide**

Full Page

Insertion – Spring/Summer 2013 Submitted – February 5, 2013

Circulation – 400,000



### **AAA/Texas Journey Magazine**

1/3 Page

Insertion - May/June2013

Submitted - April 30, 2013

Circulation – 842,000 households

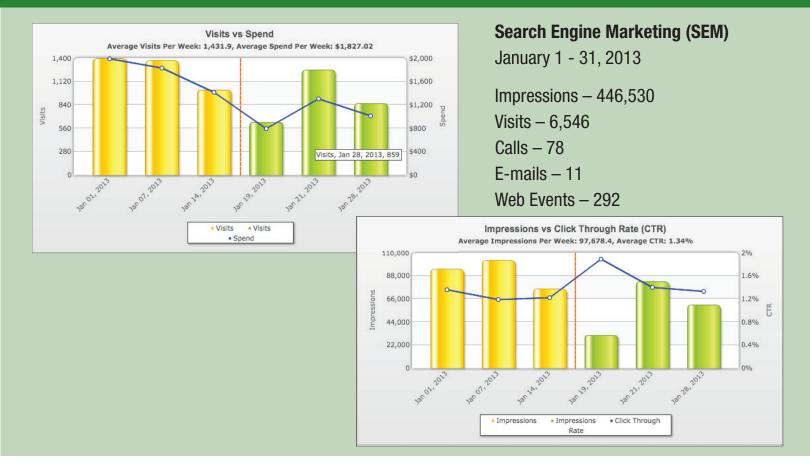
AAA members

77.9% of Texas Journey readers took at least one domestic trip in the last year

26.8% visited the Houston area

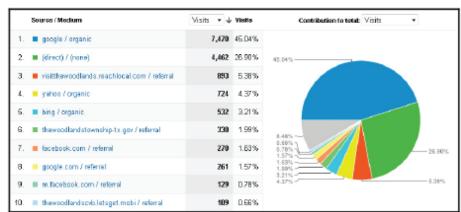
Print Advertising – Updated 9/4/13

### **Online Advertisement - SEM/SE0**



# **Search Engine Optimization (SEO)**

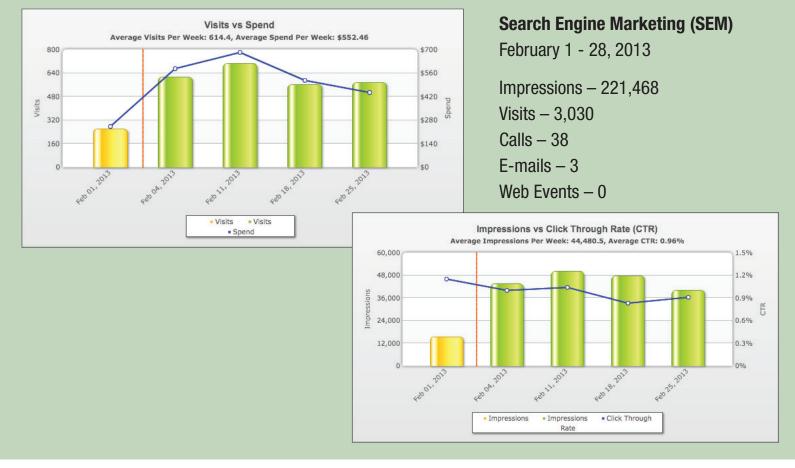
January 1 - 31, 2013



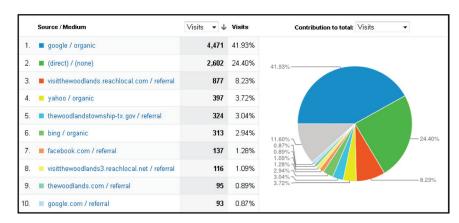
### **Top 10 Keywords** January 1 - 31, 2013

Key	yword	Visits
1.	woodlands ice rink	396
2.	the woodlands ice rink	286
3.	ice skating the woodlands	256
4.	the woodlands	241
5.	woodlands ice skating	168
6.	the woodlands tx	123
7.	ice rink the woodlands	115
8.	ice skating in the woodlands	78
9.	new businesses coming to the woodlands, tx	77
10.	the woodlands texas	75

SEARCH TERMS GOOGLE & BING	<ul> <li>53.74% Search Traffic 8,914 Visits</li> <li>19.35% Referral Traffic 3,209 Visits</li> <li>26.90% Direct Traffic 4,492 Visits</li> <li>JANUARY 2013</li> </ul>	
KEYPHRASES	GOOGLE BING	
Concerts In Houston	-	-
entertainment in the woodlands	2	13
Events In Houston	-	-
houston weekend getaways	29	-
last minute weekend getaways	-	-
Shopping In Houston Texas	47	-
Texas Vacations	-	-
texas weekend getaways	-	-
The Woodlands Hotels	24	47
weekend destinations	-	-
weekend family getaways	-	-
weekend getaway destinations	-	-
weekend getaways houston	46	-
weekend getaways in texas	-	-
weekend vacations	-	-



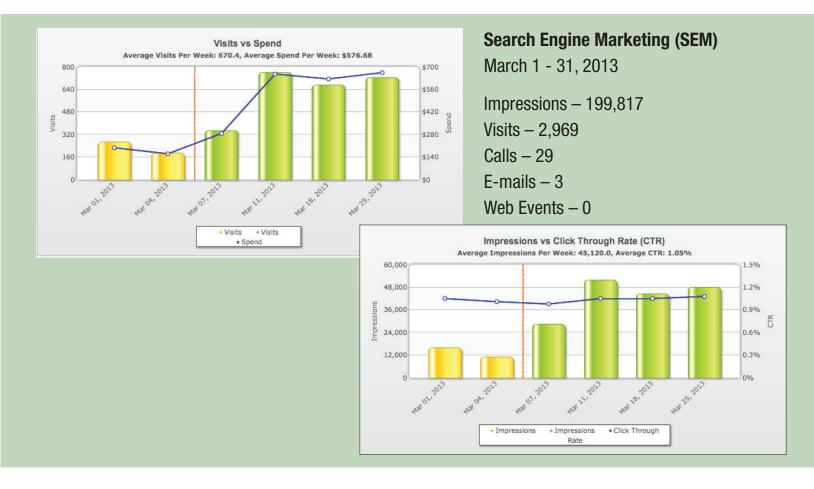
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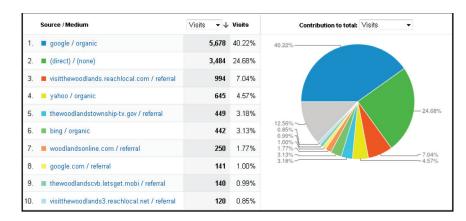
### **Top 10 Keywords** February 1 - 28, 2013

Key	yword	Visits
1.	the woodlands	203
2.	the woodlands tx	113
3.	the woodlands texas	96
4.	woodlands waterway	71
5.	woodlands texas	66
6.	new business coming to the woodlands, tx	58
7.	2012 celebration of excellence the woodland	s 54
8.	restaurants in the woodlands	49
9.	the woodlands waterway	47
10.	things to do in the woodlands tx	43

SEARCH TERMS GOOGLE & BING	■ 49.85% Search Traffic 5,915 Visits ■ 25.74% Referral Traffic 2,744 Visits ■ 24.40% Direct Traffic 2,632 Visits  FEBRUARY 2013	
KEYPHRASES	GOOGLE BING	
Concerts In Houston	-	-
Places to See In Houston	-	-
Shopping In Houston Texas	42	-
The Woodlands Hotels	26	58
Things To Do Around Houston	41	-
Things To Do In Houston	-	-
entertainment in the woodlands	2	13
houston weekend getaways	56	-
last minute weekend getaways	-	-
weekend destinations	-	-
weekend family getaways	-	-
weekend getaway destinations	-	-
weekend getaways houston	46 -	
weekend getaways in texas	57	-
weekend vacations	-	-



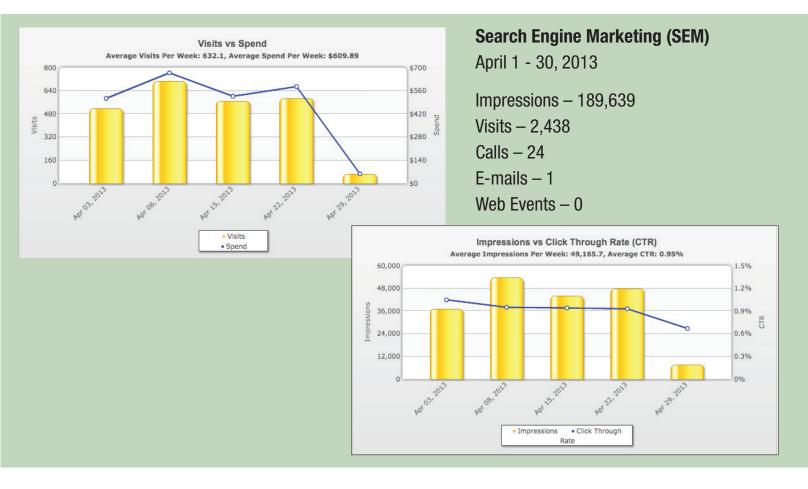
March 1 - 31, 2013



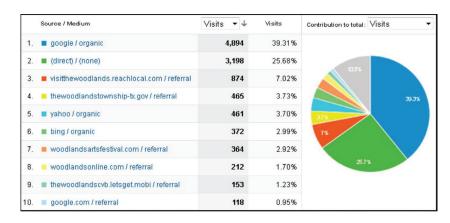
### **Top 10 Keywords** March 1 - 31, 2013

Key	word	Visits
1.	the woodlands	245
2.	the woodlands tx	127
3.	the woodlands texas	119
4.	things to do in the woodlands tx	83
5.	woodlands texas	83
6.	woodlands waterway	77
7.	things to do in the woodlands	66
8.	restaurants in the woodlands	57
9.	2012 celebration of excellence the woodland	ls 55
10.	the woodlands waterway	52

	49.05% Search Traffic 6,924 Visits	
SEARCH TERMS	<b>26.15% Ref</b> 3,691 Visits	erral Traffic
GOOGLE & BING	24.68% Dire 3,484 Visits	ect Traffic
	MARCH 2013	
KEYPHRASES	GOOGLE	BING
Events In Houston	-	-
Places To See In Houston	-	-
Shopping In Houston	-	-
The Woodlands Hotels	19	49
Things To Do Around Houston	-	86
Things To Do In Houston Texas	-	-
entertainment in the woodlands	3	11
houston weekend getaways	41	-
last minute weekend getaways	-	-
weekend destinations	-	-
weekend family getaways	-	-
weekend getaway destinations	-	-
weekend getaways houston	45	-
weekend getaways in texas	-	-
weekend vacations	-	-



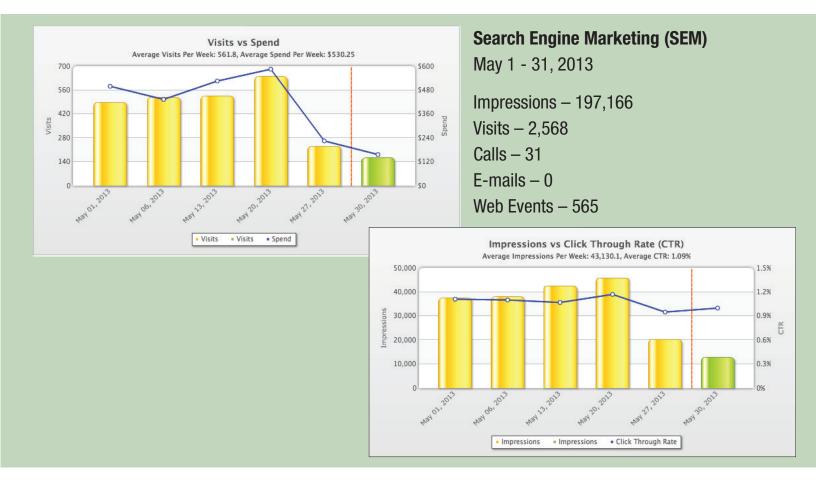
April 1 - 30, 2013



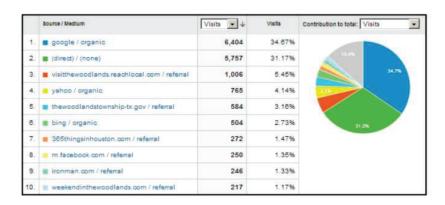
### **Top 10 Keywords** April 1 - 30, 2013

Key	/word V	isits
1.	the woodlands	174
2.	the woodlands tx	93
3.	the woodlands texas	87
4.	woodlands waterway	74
5.	2012 celebration of excellence the woodlands	61
6.	woodlands texas	60
7.	the woodlands waterway	53
8.	things to do in the woodlands tx	53
9.	restaurants in the woodlands	41
10.	fun things to do in the woodlands	37

SEARCH TERMS GOOGLE & BING	<ul> <li>47% Search Traffic 5,858 Visits</li> <li>27.2% Referral Traffic 3,383 Visits</li> <li>25.7% Direct Traffic 3,198 Visits</li> </ul>	
	APRIL 2013	
KEYPHRASES	GOOGLE BING	
Events In Houston	-	-
Places To See In Houston	-	-
Shopping In Houston	-	-
The Woodlands Hotels	15	54
Things To Do Around Houston	-	-
Things To Do In Houston	-	-
entertainment in the woodlands	2	10
houston weekend getaways	28	-
last minute weekend getaways	-	-
weekend destinations	-	-
weekend family getaways	-	-
weekend getaway destinations	-	-
weekend getaways houston	28	-
weekend getaways in texas	34	-
weekend vacations	-	-



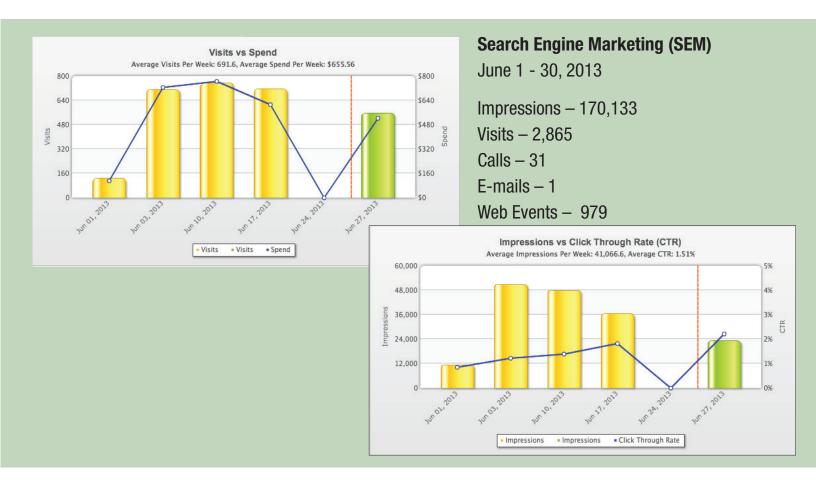
May 1 - 31, 2013



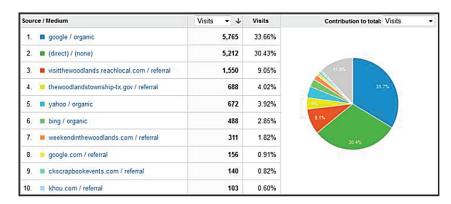
#### **Top 10 Keywords** May 1 - 31, 2013

Key	yword	Visits
1.	the woodlands	244
2.	the woodlands tx	148
3.	the woodlands texas	130
4.	the woodlands memorial day	69
5.	woodlands texas	67
6.	memorial day	60
7.	what to do in the woodlands	57
8.	weekend in the woodlands	56
9.	things to do in the woodlands tx	54
10.	woodlands waterway	52

	organic	7,833
	(none)	5,757
	referral	4,860
	email	19
SEARCH7 TERMS	facebook	2
GOOGLE & BING	socialshare	1
	MAY 2	2013
KEYPHRASES	GOOGLE	BING
entertainment in the woodlands	2	11
Events In Houston	-	-
houston weekend getaways	27	86
last minute weekend getaways	-	-
Places To See In Houston	57	-
Shopping In Houston Texas	39	58
The Woodlands Hotels	15	37
Things To Do Around Houston	92	-
Things To Do In Houston	71	-
weekend destinations	-	-
weekend family getaways	-	-
weekend getaway destinations	68	-
weekend getaways houston	24	-
weekend getaways in texas	58	-
weekend vacations	75	-



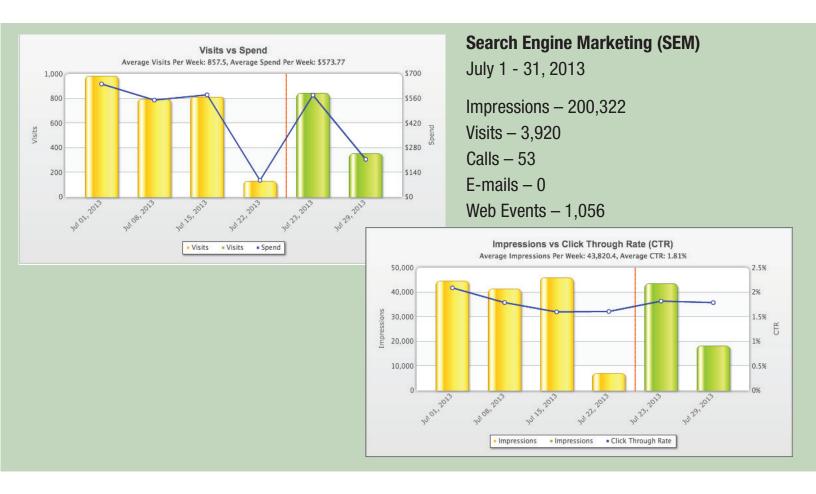
June 1 - 30, 2013



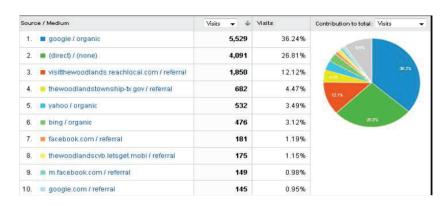
### **Top 10 Keywords** June 1 - 30, 2013

Keyword		Visits
1.	the woodlands	278
2.	the woodlands tx	180
3.	the woodlands texas	143
4.	things to do in the woodlands	89
5.	woodlands waterway	81
6.	what to do in the woodlands	60
7.	woodlands texas	58
8.	waterway square	54
9.	woodlands boat ride	53
10.	woodlands tx	50

	I	
	organic	7,050
	(none)	5,212
SEARCH TERMS	referral	4,864
GOOGLE & BING	email	10
	JUNE 2013	
KEYPHRASES	GOOGLE BING	
entertainment in the woodlands	2	20
Events In Houston	-	-
houston weekend getaways	36	-
last minute weekend getaways	-	-
Places To See In Houston	80	-
Shopping In Houston Texas	52	-
The Woodlands Hotels	16	34
Things To Do Around Houston	64	-
Things To Do In Houston	-	-
weekend destinations	-	-
weekend family getaways	-	-
weekend getaway destinations	100	-
weekend getaways houston	36	-
weekend getaways in texas	75	-
weekend vacations	-	-



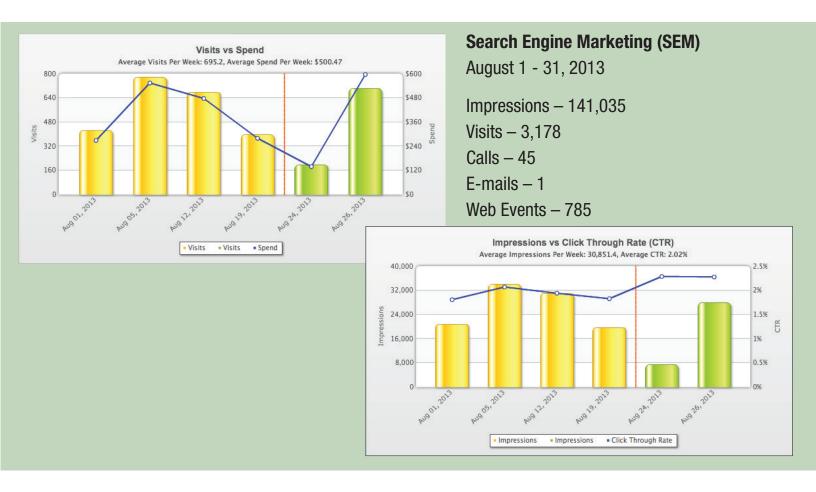
July 1 - 31, 2013



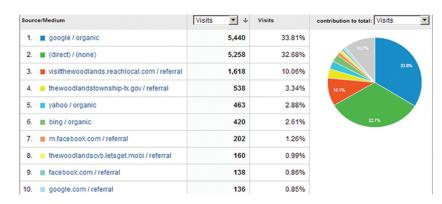
### **Top 10 Keywords** July 1 - 31, 2013

Keyword Visits			
1.	the woodlands	229	
2.	the woodlands tx	133	
3.	woodlands waterway	127	
4.	the woodlands texas	69	
5.	the woodlands waterway	64	
6.	things to do in the woodlands	62	
7.	woodlands baot ride	61	
8.	woodlands texas	53	
9.	waterway square	47	
10.	restaurants in the woodlands	44	

	organic	6,674
	(none)	4,478
SEARCH TERMS	referral	4,091
GOOGLE & BING	email	15
	JULY 2013	
KEYPHRASES	GOOGLE	BING
entertainment in the woodlands	2	5
Events In Houston	-	-
houston weekend getaways	33	-
last minute weekend getaways	-	-
Places To See In Houston	-	-
Shopping In Houston Texas	20	-
The Woodlands Hotels	17	11
Things To Do Around Houston	58	99
Things To Do In Houston	99	-
weekend destinations	-	-
weekend family getaways	-	-
weekend getaway destinations	-	-
weekend getaways houston	43	-
weekend getaways in texas	96	-
weekend vacations	-	-



August 1 - 31, 2013



### **Top 10 Keywords** August 1 - 31, 2013

Keyword		
1.	the woodlands	174
2.	the woodlands tx	96
3.	the woodlands texas	64
4.	woodlands waterway	63
5.	what to do in the woodlands	57
6.	the woodlands waterway	52
7.	woodlands texas	50
8.	woodlands boat ride	48
9.	things to do in the woodlands	44
10.	waterway square	35

	organic	6,436
SEARCH TERMS	(none)	5,258
	referral	4,386
GOOGLE & BING	email	8
	AUGUST 2013	
KEYPHRASES	GOOGLE	BING
entertainment in the woodlands	4	5
Events In Houston	-	-
houston weekend getaways	46	-
last minute weekend getaways	-	-
Places To See In Houston	58	-
Shopping In Houston Texas	17	78
The Woodlands Hotels	21	33
Things To Do Around Houston	52	-
Things To Do In Houston	-	-
weekend destinations	-	-
weekend family getaways	-	-
weekend getaway destinations	-	-
weekend getaways houston	44	-
weekend getaways in texas	73	-
weekend vacations	-	-

# Online - Website Views Tracking: January - August 2013 Stats



#### TheWoodlandsCVB.com/VisitTheWoodlands.com

(78.4 % New Visitor, 21.6% Returning Visitor)

Unique visits - 126,640 Page views - 320,995 Hits - 2,162,247

Mobile Site visits - 6,189 (1.51 pages per visit, 73.57% new visits)



### **Trolley Website**

Unique visits - 1,681 Page views - 1,935



### **Weekend Getaway Website**

Unique visits - 3,739 Page views - 6,451



### **Waterway Cruisers Website**

Unique visits - 11,521 Page views - 13,195



### **The Woodlands Virtual Tour Website**

Unique visits - 1,438 Page views - 1,897

#### **Online Advertisement - eNewsletters**



### **February E-Newsletter**

Featured: Spring Break & More in The Woodlands

Run Date - February 15, 2013

Delivered – 22,552 (100%)

Opened -6,997 (31%)

Click-Throughs - 699 (10%)



### **February E-Newsletter**

Featured: Live at Night Series

Run Date - February 26, 2013

Delivered – 22,640 (100%)

Opened - 5,700 (25%)

Click-Throughs – 561 (10%)



#### **April E-Newsletter**

Featured: Visit The Woodlands in April

Run Date – April 3, 2013

Delivered – 22,894 (100%)

Opened - 6,304 (28%)

Click-Throughs – 671 (11%)



### **May E-Newsletter**

Featured: Visit The Woodlands This May

Run Date - May 9, 2013

Delivered - 24,005 (100%)

Opened - 5,432 (22%)

Click-Throughs – 784 (14%)



#### June E-Newsletter

Featured: Visit The Woodlands This Summer

Run Date - June 5, 2013

Delivered – 24,443 (100%)

Opened - 6,264 (25.6%)

Click-Throughs – 651 (10.3%)



### **August E-Newsletter**

Featured: Visit The Woodlands In August

Run Date - August 8, 2013

Delivered – 24,582 (100%)

Opened - 5,406 (22%)

Click-Throughs – 576 (10.6%)



### **August E-Newsletter**

Featured: Fireworks and Live Music over Labor Day Weekend in The Woodlands

Run Date – August 23, 2013

Delivered – 24,827 (100%)

Opened – 6,348 (25%)

Click-Throughs – 511 (8%)

### Online Advertisement - Facebook/Twitter/Microsite(s)



#### Holiday 2012: - 2013 Online Giveaway Campaign

Featured: The Woodlands Ice Rink: 10 Winners receive 4 Ice Rink admission and skate rental tickets

Run Date – December 28, 2012 - January 4, 2013

Visits - 70

Entries - 32 (46%)

Run Date – January 5 - 12, 2013

Visits - 56

Entries – 13 (23%)



### **January Online Giveaway Campaign**

Featured: Taste of the Town: 3 winners received 4 Taste of the Town tickets plus \$20 Gift Card to Chick-Fil-A. 7 winners received 4 Taste of the Town tickets.

Run Date – January 24 - 31, 2012

Total Visits - 444

Total Entries - 173 (39%)





Jettsetters, Daytrippers & Tourists find more to explore here. Click for Current events!

# **February Online Facebook Advertising:**

Featured: Welcome to The Woodlands

Run Date - February 1 - March 1, 2013

Impressions - 646,358

Clicks - 804

Actions – 873

Click Through Rate - .124%

Page Likes - 514



### **April Online Giveaway Campaign**

Featured: The Woodlands Waterway Arts Festival

1 Winner receive 4 tickets to The Woodlands Waterway Arts Festival, 4 Waterway Cruiser passes and a \$20 Chick-Fil-A Gift card. Two winners won 2 tickets to The Woodlands Waterway Art Festival and 2 Waterway Cruiser passes.

Run Date – March 25, 2013 - April 7, 2013 Visits – 139 Entries – 43 (31%)



### **August Online Giveaway Campaign**

Featured: Fall Home & Garden Show

1 Grand Prize Winner receive 3 tickets to the Fall Home & Garden Show. 1 Second Prize Winner received 2 tickets to the Fall Home & Garden Show and 1 Third Prize Winner received 2 tickets to the Fall Home & Garden Show.

Run Date – August 19, 2013 - August 23, 2013 Total Views – 57 Total Entries – 4 (7%)

### **Group Sales Marketing - Print Advertising**



#### **Convention South**

Half Page

Insertion – March 2013 Submitted – Feb. 14, 2013 Circulation – 18,147



### **Texas Sports Facility Guide**

Half Page

Insertion – 2013 - 2014 Submitted – August 13, 2013 Circulation – 7,500

### **Group Sales Online - Website Views Tracking**



### **Meeting Planner Website**

January - August 2013 Unique visits - 1,313 Page views - 1,759

### **Group Sales Online - eNewsletter**



#### **March E-Newsletter**

March 2013

Distributed to visitors who stopped by The Woodlands CVB booth at the Economic Outlook Conference.

Run Date: March 2013

Delivered: 50+



### **August E-Newsletter**

Subject: VOTE for The Woodlands and discover the Texas' Newest  $\label{eq:cover} % \begin{center} \begin{cente$ 

Destination

Run Date: August 2

Sent: 461

Opens: 356 (77%) Clicks: 17 (4.7%)

# **Group Sales Marketing - Creative 2013**



